

MY WILD IRISH ROSE

Words and music by Chauncey Olcott in 1899.

Bb	%	%	Bb7	Eb	%	Bb	%
F7	Bb	F7	Bb	C7	%	F7	%
Bb	%	%	Bb7	Eb	%	Bb	%
F7	Bb	F7	Bb	C7	F7	Bb	%

The musical score consists of eight staves of music in common time (indicated by a '4' in a circle) and treble clef. The lyrics are written below each staff, corresponding to the chords above them. Chords shown include Bb, F7, %, Bb7, Eb, C7, F7, and G7. The lyrics describe a wild Irish rose, its beauty, and a day for the singer's sake.

Chords above the staves:

- Staff 1: Bb, F7, %, Bb7, Eb, C7, F7, Bb, %
- Staff 2: C, F, C, G7, C, G7, C
- Staff 3: G7, C, G7, C
- Staff 4: D7, G7
- Staff 5: C, G7
- Staff 6: C, G7
- Staff 7: F, C, G7, C
- Staff 8: G7, C

Lyrics:

My wild Irish rose, _____ The
 sweet - est flow'r that grows, _____ You may
 search ev' - ry - where, but none can com - pare with my
 wild Irish rose, _____ My
 wild Irish rose, _____ The
 dear - est flow'r that grows, _____ And some
 day for my sake, she may let me take The
 bloom from my wild Irish rose. _____

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